Wednesday when she received word FOR THE DEAR ONES that she was one of the American beirs of an metate valued at \$200,000,000 in Lancashire, England.

Suprems Court Cases.

Laysing, Dec. 23 .- The supreme court filed the following opinions tonight: Affirmed Stabburs va Statburs, execu-tor; Autriam et al. va Springer; Ban-man, administrator, va. Maniatee Sait & Lumber company; Robinson vs. Wright Medicine Co.; Repz vs. Stall, administrator; Pearce vs. Ware. Reversed - Hall et al. vs. Phemicis et al. Choper et al. vs. Lansing Wheel Co. Hicks vs. McLacolin; Ferris vs. Mc Queen; Gillispie et al. vs. Beecher; Kooneizie vs. City of Detroit et al. Hanley vs Baich et al.; Worthington, administrator, vs. Major et al.; Smith vs. Thompson et al.; Blazely vs. Mostiser et al. In Cheboygan supervisors va-supervisor of Menter; same va. super-visor of Minda and same va. town-hip Tuecorara, write of mandamus granted in part.

Students In for It.

Prof. Thompson pleasantly surprised the handful present by calling the roll, and the bulk of the jumor class, who were absent, will be compelled to make explanations when they return-

### His Valuable Foot.

Lansing, Dec. 23.—Some years ago Fred E. Retan of Hudson had his foot caught between the rail of a Lake Shore Michigan Southern teack and the plank of a walk which ran parallel thereto, and being quable to extricate nimself, was run over by an express train and both his feet were cut off. He sued for damages and recovered \$30,000. The company appealed to the supreme court which t night in an unanimous opinion written by Mr. Justice Long affirmed the judgment.

Had Angels in Mind,

Jackson, July 23.—The last will of John Thompson, of Ashland, O., was filed for protote today, having first been probated in the state of Onio. The deceased owned property in both astronoi and Jackson. One paragraph reads, "It is my wish that no one shall inherit the benefits of this will who in any manner or form uses intoxicating liquors, tobacco, or is guilty of any im-moral conduct." The estate is valued

Wants Her Wages.

Sauthaw, Dec. 23.—Rebecca Enstein sues her brother, Alfred Simpson, for Simpson agreed to pay her \$2 a week for taking care of their aged nother at mis house, all three living together. This she has done for three years, but she has received no money yet, and now her brother repudiates the claim.

Fear an Epidernic.

are becoming very auxious. They as-sert that the city is full of fifth, which is rapedly assuming the form of scarlet fever, department and other frightful Nearly all the citizens are in favor of good dramage, but can't agree upon the means of securing it. Sea Captain Dead.

Kenworthy, an old sea captain, whose Dominion of Canada. career as a whaler makes a very interesting story, died here yesterday of inflammatory rheumatism. He was 71 years of age and exty-three years of

both sail and fresh

Old Myth Revived. a state of the upper peninsula and a section of Wisconsin is being discussed here and in other cities in the mining region. The section is strongly republican and a democrat congress would undoubtedly oppose any such scheme.

Esposed a Fraud.

Mr. Carmens, Dec. 23.-Professor Church of Detroit has been giving spiritualistic stances in this city. He was exposed last night by F. E. Nellis, who during the performance caught the professor by the cost tails and held on until a light was struck.

Drowned While Skating.

tonay with a larger buy, the 6-year-old son of Thomas Shaw, a well-to-do cit-izen, broke turough the loe. All day men have been at work, but as yet the budy has not been recovered.

She Died at Last.

Extuent Dec. 22. Susan Porter, the fasting woman of Burington, died yesterisg, som had been fifty-two days element food and drank nothing but two cups of lea in that time.

State News in Brief. Milwaukie capitalists despite the

fate of Plank's tarsen contemplate buthfire on autel on the beach at St. 171 S. Reace of Muskegon was kicked

by a morse. Now Ell is nursing a Eight million bushels of grain were supped from Port Huron this season. Indianapolis ..... Lical talent at West Bay City pro-

doe of the centara "Enther" last night. Houston ..... West hay City's new opera house will | Tacoma. be completed December 26. A Boyne City man shot 1wo hand. Reamond.......

some other the other day. from Muskegon suckers.

Adrian taxes are coming in at the pooria. ........... rate of \$1,000 per day. Jackson gosupa are enjoying a vory Sait Lake City ....

edorum directs suit. Evert is suffering from sneak

thioven.

Lexington is to have a new hotel.



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The Holiday Trade Has Been Simply Enormous.

CAPACITY OF MILLS TESTED

There Has Bren Less Failures and Trade Generally Has Assumed a Roseate Hue,

NEW YORK, Dec. 23 .- R. G. Dun & Co.'s weekly review of trade will say: Reports of the condition of trade are Reports of the condition of trade are household, of taking it from his clothes decidedly more satisfactory in most at night. He fixed up a scheme by lines, especially in woolens, though which the constable and City Jailer lines, especially in woolens, though trade in iron and steel is noticeatly weaker. The holiday trade throughout the north seems unusually large, and it is lively at some southern points. In other products, distribution appears ANN ARBON, Dec. 23.—The big university closes its doors in all department suspended operations yesterday aftermoon. Despite the fact, however, that the striking feature of the week is the great demand for woolen and cotton goods. the students were given one day more demand for woolen and cotton goods. vacation than any of the other departments, over 200 of the juniors bolted yesterday afternoon's lecture. mand, and prices are exceedingly firm, with a tendency to advance. In boots and shoes there also appears a very neusual demand for the season, many spring orders being placed, with urgent demand for early delivery. The iron trade has become decidedly weaker, and holders of pig make concessions of about 25 cents, the pressure to sell being mainly northern. For nearly all finished products the demand is slack. Boston reports that cottons fully maintain the advance in price and trade in woolens is very promising. Leather is in improved demand, and lumber steady, while trade in furniture is good and in groceries large. At Philadelphia iron is weak but hardware active, and

the coal trade fair, chemicals are steady and the tobacco trade good. Activity in All Lines. Trade in dry goods is gratifying in all respects for the season, save that colder weather has been wanting for neavier goods. At Cincinnati produce sales exceed last year's, and the mar-ket for tropical fruits is strong. Busi-ness is good at Cleveland and at Detroit. Receipts at Chicago show gains of 10 per cent in wheat, 20 in hides and sheep, 30 in barley and 50 in butter, compared with last year, but losses of 10 in dressed beef, 20 in flour and cheese, 30 in corn, 40 in hogs, 50 in wool and 70 in rye and pork. Trade is good at 5t Paul and Minnearolis and good at St. Paul and Minneapolis, and

the output of flour is large. Trade is strong at St. Louis and very wages for three years. She avers that active at Omaha and Denver. At New Simpson agreed to pay her 32 a week Orieans there is fair activity for the for taking care of their aged mother at season, though sugar is in large demand and rye improving in price. Speculative markets were much disturbed by large gold exports. Exports of products fall behind last year's, but the outgo of gold is evidently due in the main to foreign sales of securities, And Aunon, Dec. 23.--The advocates and whether these will continue no of a sewerage system for Ann Arbor one can say with certainty. The busireported to R. G. Dun & Co., number, for the United States 283 and for Canada 18, total of 301; compared with totals of 304 last week and 207 the week previous to the last. For the corresponding week country during the last seven days as reported to R. G. Dun & Co., number, corresponding week of last year the ages \$5. By mail. Try it tonight, figures were 252, representing 257 fail-Algonac, Dec. 23 .- Capt. Lazarus | ures in the United States and 35 in the

trade report says: Some gain in the volume of general trade is reported that time had been spent on the water, from the Canadian dominion, due to both sail and fresh cold weather. After a temporary lightness in the Montreal money mar-Escanana, Dec. 23.—A pian to make banks have plenty of funds, but are banks have plenty below have been banks have plenty below by banks have plenty of funds, but are banks have plenty below by banks have plenty by banks have plent ket, funds there are easier again. The port. Halifax wires that 1,000 Nova Scot a coal miners have struck and a new tariff to favor importations from France only will go into effect in St. Pierre on next mouth.

CHRISTMAS SHOPPERS.

The Banks Handle Some of the Santa Ciaus Cash.

New York, Dec. 23 .- Bank clearing totals at seventy-two cities for the week ended December 22, 1892, with Yvernawn, Dec. 23,-While skating comparisons as telegraphed to Bradstruct's:

\$934,720,909 inc 28.1 New York. 113,191,915 inc 21.5 120,717,566 inc 27.6 Chicago ..... Einstein 83,859,100 inc 21.5 Philadelphia..... 26,368,457 me 4.2 St. Louis ..... 14,378,694 .... 16,245,296 inc 11.3 San Francisco.... Baltimore ..... 14,365,842 dec 2.9 Pittelning...... 14,082,350 inc 7.2 11,805,500 inc 24.3 Cincinnati..... Kansas City ...... 15,717,058 inc 27.3 New Orleans ..... 8,496,624 dec 5.6 Minneapolis ..... 8,822,684 inc 14.2 8,244,588 inc 41.0 Louisville 7,629,005 inc 14.3 Detroit ..... Milyaukee ..... 8,750,919 inc 22.1 6,239,195 inc 13.5 eveland ..... 6,870,358 inc 43.2 7,721,100 inc 38.2 Omaha ....

5,594,851 inc 23.0

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3,831,000 inc 14.5

968,846 inc 17.9

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2,354,115 mc 19.0 2,286,154 mc 8.0

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1,325,301 dec 21.5

,397,300 inc 23.3

.589,380 inc 29.0

.514,629 inc 20,0

1,479,798 me 24,7

.587,434 inc 42.0

1,143,128 inc 2.9

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1,079,242 inc 18.1

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509,372 dec

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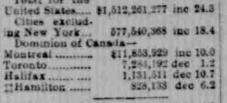
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\$21,007,765 inc 4.0 Total !!Not included in totals.

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Constable William McKale had a very unpleasant experience the other night. A certain business man has been missing money and suspects not his wife, but another member of the the officers held the door against him. He was convinced that there were burglars in the house and, raising a rumpus, ran for a weapon. The house-holder ran to the officers' rescue and in a half fainting condition they were finally landed safely out of doors.— Birmingham Eccentric.

Ed. Conier's little son was playing in his grandfather's barn in Union City about noon last Sunday when he thought it would be warmer if he built a fire in the straw. He did so, and barely made his escape from the flames before the building was con-

Hillsdale proposed to bond herself for \$15,000 to establish an electric lighting plant of her own. F. W. Stock, proprietor of the plant new in use, has commenced an action for \$10,000 damages, alleging that the elecillegal.

The Rev. William Wallace has created somewhat of a sensation at Bellaire by resigning from the United Presbyterian church to accept a call to the Congregational church at Calumet. His action is said to be due largely to the prominence of the late heresy trials

John Muir, a Kalamazoo blacksmith, accidently struck himself in the head with a hammer. The swelling caused by the blow gradually reached his throat and choked him to death.

E. C. Crane, having been fairly suc cessful in making up with his Detroit friends, has gone to Muskegon to see what his wife thinks about his trip

The case of Harriet Kellogg vs. Dr. Basil Harrison of Prairie Ronde, is on trial at Kalsmazoo. Mrs. Kellogg asks \$29,000 damages, claiming malpractice. Orlando Perry, of Tustin, has been convicted of stealing and slaughtering the cow of a neighbor, and will serve eighteen months in state prison.

Muskegon is losing some of her houses; they are being moved across the lake on scows.

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